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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicants submit the documents listed on the attached PTO Form 1449 for consideration during prosecution of the above-captioned patent application, which was filed on October 1, 2001.

Applicants hereby request the Examiner to review and make an independent evaluation of the art.

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